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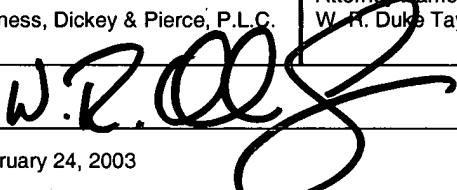
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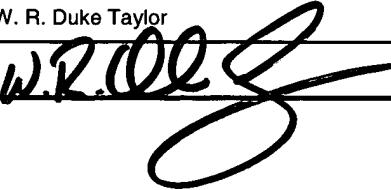
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 31, 2002, please consider the following.

IN THE TITLE

Please delete the present title and substitute therefor METHOD FOR FORMING HIGH-
IMPACT, TRANSPARENT, DISTORTION-FREE POLYMERIC MATERIAL.

IN THE CLAIMS

Kindly amend Claims 26 and 31 as follows. Please amend the claims in accordance with
the following rewritten claims in clean form. Applicant includes herewith an Attachment for
Claim Amendments showing a marked up version of each amended claim.